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TAGS: MASS, BEXP, SU
SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: SUDAN MILITARY AIRPORTS

REF: KHARTOUM 0120

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED LETTER DATED DEC 12, 1976 FROM
MAJGEN MUSA ABDEL HAFIZ, DIR, FOREIGN PROCUREMENT BRANCH, GHQ
PEOPLE'S ARMED FORCES, MINYDEF, KHARTOUM, ADDRESSED TO
COMMERCIAL ATTACHE. WE UNDERSTAND LETTER ALSO SENT TO
SEVERAL MILITARY ATTACHES IN KHARTOUM. COVERING LETTER
INVITES INTERESTED PARTIES SEND QUOTATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION
OF MILITARY AIRPORT/AIR BASE AND RELATED STRUCTURES. REPLY
REQUESTED BY FEB 15.

2. SPECIFICATIONS AS CONTAINED IN ATTACHMENT CLASSIFIED
BY GOS AS CONFIDENTIAL ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) MAIN R/W - 300 X 45 M
- (2) A/C DISPERSAL - 200 X 70 M
- (3) OPEN SHELTERS (REVTMENT) - 10
- (4) REVTMENT FOR 20 GROUND EQUIPMENT ITEMS
- (5) TECHNICAL BUILDINGS

- A. JOINT OPERATIONS ROOMS - 8X6 M
- B. CINEMA - 15X10M

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- C. HANGERS (3) - 70X35 M
 - D. WORK SHOP FOR DIFFERENT SPECIALISTS
 - E. SMALL HANGER - 40X20 M
- TECHNICAL STORES
- (1) MAIN STORE FOR SPARE PARTS - 20X7 M
 - (2) STORE FOR RECEIVING ITEMS - 15X7 M
 - (3) STORE FOR OIL ITEMS - 15X7 M

(4) STORE FOR BULKY ITEMS - 30X10 M
(5) RUBBER STORE - 15X7 M
(6) STORE FOR AMMUNITION - 10X4 M
(7) STORE FOR ROCKETS - 10X5 M
(8) STORE FOR BOMBS - 10X5M
(9) DISMANTLE AND TESTING CENTER FOR ROCKETS - 15X5 M
(10) BATTERY CHARGING ROOM - 15X5 M
(11) ADMINISTRATION BUILDINGS:
(1) OFFICES FOR HQ (5); (3) 5X5 M, (2) 4X6.7 M
(B) OFFICES FOR FLYING WING (8) - 5X5
(C) GUARD ROOM
(D) GARAGE AND WORK SHOPS FOR 50 CARS
(E) MARRIED OFFICERS QUARTERS (30 HOUSES);
(15) SENIOR TYPE, 15 MEDIUM TYPE
(F) UNMARRIED OFFICERS QUARTERS (MESS) 100 OFFICERS
(G) NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICER QUARTERS (MARRIED)
30 HOUSES - JOINER HOUSES
(H) BUILDING FOR LODGING 300 SOLDIERS; 40 SOLDIERS
EACH
(12) WATER SUPPLY TANK
(13) DRAINAGE SYSTEM
(14) ELECTRICAL SUPPLY FOR BASE
(15) FULL INTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS
(16) PLAYGROUND
(A) FOOTBALL
(B) BASKETBALL
(C) TRACK
(D) SWIMMING POOL
(17) (A) OFFICER CLUB
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(B) OTHER RANKS CLUB
(C) MEDICAL CENTER
(18) FIRE FIGHTING UNIT
(A) COMMANDER OFFICE - 4X6 M
(B) CREW ROOM - 6X8 M
(C) GARAGE FOR TEN FIRE FIGHTING CARS
(19) CONTROL TOWER
(20) DEPOT (FUEL STORE); CAPACITY 500 TONS

3. COMMENT: DUE TO GOS CLASSIFICATION, BELIVE IT WILL NOT
BE POSSIBLE FOR DEPT OR COMMERCE TO PUBLISH INFO CONTAINED
ABOVE, BUT QUALIFIED US FIRMS SHOULD BE INFORMED OF GOS PROJECT
FOR WHICH, WE UNDERSTAND, FINANCING ALREADY AVAILABLE.
REALIZE FEB 15 DEADLINE IS VERY CLOSE, BUT EMBASSY EXPECTS
IT WILL BE POSSIBLE ARRANGE DELAY, PROVIDED WE AWARE OF
INTEREST FROM US FIRMS BY THAT TIME. COMMERCE ACTION
OFFICERS SHOULD BE AWARE ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND CONTAINED
REFTEL. INTERESTED FIRMS SHOULD CORRESPOND DIRECTLY WITH
MAJGEN MUSA ABDEL HAFIZ AND THEY CAN DIRECT QUERIES TO

ROGER MERRICK, CHIEF ECONOMIC/COMMERCIAL SECTION.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: DEPT AND COMMERCE REQUESTED BRING
THIS MAJOR CONSTRUCTION PROJECT TO ATTENTION QUALIFIED US
FIRMS AND ADVISE EMBASSY WHETHER WE SHOULD SEEK POSTPONEMENT
BID DEADLINE. BREWER

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